



Drug Enforcement Administration

Washington, D.C. 20537

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Mr. Steven Garfinkel
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Washington, D.C. 20405

Dear Mr. Garfinkel:

The Drug Enforcement Administration has reviewed again the classified material contained in the GAO report "Problems in Slowing the Flow of Cocaine and Heroin from and through South America," dated May 30, 1975. Pursuant to this review, the report was declassified by the Administrator, DEA, on May 17, 1983, and forwarded to our FOI Unit for review and processing for other exemptions. Although the report is now declassified, it should not be released to either the requestor or the general public until the FOIA process has been completed.

Requests for additional information or questions should be directed to Ms. Diane Wright of my staff on 272-6382. Thank you for your patience throughout this matter.

Sincerely yours,

David W. Johnson
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